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In re	:
Shiraga, et al.	:
Application No. 09/931,887	: DECISION REGARDING
Filed: August 20, 2001	: PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT
Patent No. 7,139,919	:
Issued: November 21, 2006	:
Attorney Docket No. 03500.015684	:

This decision is in response to the "REQUEST FOR REVIEW (PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT)", filed January 11, 2007, requesting correction of the patent term adjustment (PTA).

The request is **DISMISSED**.

On November 21, 2006, the instant application issued as Patent No. 7,139,919, with a patent term adjustment of seven hundred eighty-seven (787) days. Patentees state that they believe there was an error in their favor in the patent term adjustment calculation.

The Office determined a patent term adjustment of seven hundred eighty-seven (787) days based on an adjustment for PTO delay of eight hundred seventy-two (872) days pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(A)(i) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(1), reduced by thirty five (35) and thirty-two (32) days of applicant delay pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(2)(C)(ii) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(b), and eighteen (18) days of applicant delay pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(2)(C)(i) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(c)(10).

A review of the application does not reveal any errors in the calculation of the patent term adjustment. To the extent that Patentees are aware of any errors, Patentees should so advise the Office.

As this letter was submitted as an advisement to the Office of an error in Patentees' favor, the Office will not assess the \$200.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(e). The Office thanks Patentees for their good faith and candor.

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